

Indiana DNR's Deer Hunting Checklist

BEFORE YOUR HUNT



<input type="checkbox"/>	Purchase deer hunting license/licenses
<input type="checkbox"/>	Find hunting location & secure permission from landowner & surrounding landowners
<input type="checkbox"/>	Read latest hunting and trapping guide for regulation changes
<input type="checkbox"/>	Scout your hunting area
<input type="checkbox"/>	Purchase ammunition & sight-in your firearm or other equipment
<input type="checkbox"/>	Practice tree stand climbing & using your safety harness
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ensure all equipment is in working order

WEEK/DAY OF THE HUNT



<input type="checkbox"/>	Check weather and layer clothing appropriately
<input type="checkbox"/>	Put on hunter orange clothing and be sure it meet requirements
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pack and sharpen knife for field dressing
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bring headlamp/flashlight
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hunting license and ID
<input type="checkbox"/>	Drag rope
<input type="checkbox"/>	Temporary transportation tag and pen/pencil (fill out most beforehand)
<input type="checkbox"/>	GPS/map/compass
<input type="checkbox"/>	Water bottle/thermos/snacks
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hunting license and ID (it's on here twice, it's THAT important)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ammunition
<input type="checkbox"/>	Small saw or clippers
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cell phone
<input type="checkbox"/>	Leave hunting details with family/friends
<input type="checkbox"/>	String or zip tie to affix transportation tag
<input type="checkbox"/>	Paper towels/gloves for field dressing
<input type="checkbox"/>	Calls or scents
<input type="checkbox"/>	Tree stand and full body harness
<input type="checkbox"/>	Blind and hunter orange for blind
<input type="checkbox"/>	First Aid Kit
<input type="checkbox"/>	Binoculars

AFTER YOU HARVEST A DEER



<input type="checkbox"/>	Field dress the deer, drag out of woods, affix temporary transportation tag
<input type="checkbox"/>	Check in deer at check station or online at checkingame.dnr.in.gov
<input type="checkbox"/>	Process your deer or take to a processor

WHEN YOU'RE DONE HUNTING



<input type="checkbox"/>	Make taxidermy arrangements
<input type="checkbox"/>	Clean your gear
<input type="checkbox"/>	Thank private landowner for permission to hunt land (share your harvest)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Organize and put away gear for next year.